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EXPAND WIRED RADIO AND DIAL TELEPHONE SYSTEMS

As of 1 January 1950, the radiofication [i.e. public-address system] net in Poland included about 500,000 homes, 3,000 schools, 5,000 recreation rooms, 400 hospitals, 900 factories, and more than 1,000 State Farms.

Improved dynamic amplifiers are now being installed in all relay stations to insure better reception.

Experiments in rebroadcasting several programs from one station are also being tried. In line with the expansion of the Polish Radio, the Six-Year Plan provides for the installation of multiprogram transmitting equipment.

The increase in radio receiving sets requires an expanded repair service. The Bureau of Radio Receiving Equipment will open repair shops in all wojewodztwo capitals this year, assuring subscribers efficient and inexpensive repair service.

RADIO STATIONS GET NEW WAVE LENGTHS -- Ilustrowany Kurjer Polski, No 76,
17 Mar 50

On 15 March 1950, the stations of the Polskie Radio will operate on new wave lengths to comply with the decisions of the September 1948 conference in Copenhagen.

The following stations will operate on the following exclusive wave lengths: Warsaw I, 1,321.6 meters; Warsaw II, 367 meters; Wroclaw, 278 meters; and Szczecin, 238.8 meters.

Krakow will be heard on a 199.7-meter wave length; Gliwice, 407 meters; Poznan, 249.5 meters; and Torun, 219.5 meters. The wave length of the Gdansk radio station will remain unchanged on 1,078 meters for the present. Five additional stations will use wave lengths common to other stations sufficiently distant to prevent interference. The Lodz radio station will use an international wave length of 202 meters used by several other European stations located at convenient points to preclude interference.

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DIAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE FOR WROCLAW, SZCZECIN -- Slowo Polskie, No 57, 23 Feb 50

Wroclaw expects the new dial telephone exchange to be in service by mid-May.

Installation is progressing speedily and a special commission is testing the equipment. The exchange cannot be put in service, however, until the installation for interurban service is complete, which will be about mid-May.

Zycie Warszawy, No 92, 2 Apr 50

A modern dial telephone exchange numbering 3,600 subscribers has been opened in Szczecin, to increase and improve communications with cities throughout Poland.

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